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TAGS: EAIR, OCLR, IZ

SUBJECT: CIVAIR: GOI DENIAL OF TWA FLIGHT CLEARANCE

REF: BAGHDAD 908 AND BAGHDAD 917

BEIRUT PASS BAGHDAD PRIORITY

1. TWA INFORMED DEPT THAT IRAQI DGCA DENIED OVERFLIGHT CLEARANCE FOR SEPT 20 PASSENGER CHARTER TO TEHRAN AND SEPT 21 RETURN FERRY FLIGHT. DGCA REGRETTED IT WAS UNABLE TO APPROVE. TWA ASKED HELP IN DETERMINING WHY AND POSSIBLY REVERSING DECISION.

2. WE REALIZE THAT NEITHER YOU NOR GOI DESIRE USINT TO PRESENT PRIVATE FLIGHT CLEARANCE APPLICATIONS (BAGHDAD 908). IN THIS CASE, HOWEVER, TWA APPLIED IN NORMAL WAY, DIRECTLY TO DGCA, AND HAS MET SOME OBSTACLE.

3. APPRECIATE USINT ATTEMPT DETERMINE WHY CLEARANCE REQUEST WAS DENIED, WHETHER OR NOT ANY RECOURSE WAS DENIED, WHETHER OR NOT ANY RECOURSE EXISTS, OR IF TWA MUST MAKE OTHER ROUTE PLANS, NOW AND IN FUTURE.

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4. FYI: FLIGHT WILL CARRY BELL HELICOPTER PERSONNEL MOVING

TO IRAN. BELL IS PRESSING TWA BECAUSE BELL EMPLOYEES MUST  
SELL HOMES, ETC., AND NEED PRECISE PLANS. END FYI. KISSINGER

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